

## Message Text

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ARA/ECA - D. VAN TREECK  
-----261913Z 061184 /41  
O 261903Z MAY 77  
FM SECSTATE WASHDC  
TO AMEMBASSY MONTEVIDEO IMMEDIATE

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EIND, UY

SUBJECT: TRADEMARK PROTECTION: THE WASHINGTON POST

REF: MONTEVIDEO 2001

1. AS REQUESTED, DEPARTMENT CONTACTED WASHINGTON POST REGARDING ATTEMPTED PIRACY OF POST TRADENAME IN URUGUAY. POST ATTORNEY ADVISED THAT HE WAS UNAWARE OF THIS PROPOSED REGISTRATION AND HE EXPRESSED APPRECIATION FOR EMBASSY'S TIMELY ACTION AND REPORT.

2. POST ATTORNEY REQUESTED THAT EMBASSY FILE OPPOSITION TO REGISTRATION OF TRADENAME ON BEHALF OF POST IN ORDER TO MEET THE MAY 28 DEADLINE. HE ALSO SAID THAT POST WOULD SEEK TO OBTAIN REPRESENTATION IN MONTEVIDEO IN ORDER TO FOLLOW-UP ON THIS PROBLEM AND TO ENSURE THAT LOCAL PUBLISHER IS NOT SUCCESSFUL IN USING POST NAME IN ANY WAY.

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3. ACTION REQUESTED: EMBASSY REQUESTED TO FILE OPPOSITION TO REGISTRATION OF TRADENAME WASHINGTON POST IN ORDER TO MEET MAY 28 DEADLINE. REPORT ON FINAL RESOLUTION OF THIS MATTER WOULD BE APPRECIATED. VANCE

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